

3 tion and by adding thereto the following: "and relieves and protects  
4 the same from damage by erosion."

1 SEC. 10. Section four hundred fifty-five point fifty-one (455.51),  
2 Code 1946, is amended by adding the following to subsection two (2)  
3 thereof: "For erosion protection and control or flood control."

1 SEC. 11. Section four hundred fifty-five point fifty-six (455.56),  
2 Code 1946, is amended by inserting after the word "drainage" in lines  
3 one (1) and two (2) thereof the words ", erosion or flood control".

1 SEC. 12. Wherever any of the provisions of chapters four hundred  
2 fifty-five (455), four hundred fifty-six (456), four hundred fifty-  
3 seven (457), four hundred fifty-eight (458), four hundred fifty-  
4 nine (459), four hundred sixty (460), four hundred sixty-one (461),  
5 four hundred sixty-two (462), four hundred sixty-three (463), four  
6 hundred sixty-four (464), four hundred sixty-five (465), four hun-  
7 dred sixty-six (466), and four hundred sixty-seven (467), Code 1946,  
8 refer to the word "drainage", the word shall be deemed to include in  
9 its meaning soil erosion and flood control or any combination of drain-  
10 age, flood control and soil erosion control. The term "drainage dis-  
11 trict" shall be considered to include districts having as their purpose  
12 soil conservancy or flood control or any combination thereof, and the  
13 words "drainage certificates" or "drainage bonds" shall be deemed to  
14 include certificates or bonds issued in behalf of any district organized  
15 under the provisions of this act; and any procedure provided by  
16 these chapters in connection with the organization, financing and  
17 operation of any drainage district shall be applicable to the organ-  
18 ization, financing and operation of districts organized under this act.

1 SEC. 13. The provisions of this act shall be deemed severable as  
2 far as practical, and should any part be declared invalid or unconsti-  
3 tutional, the remaining parts of the act shall not be affected thereby.

Approved April 2, 1949.

## CHAPTER 205

### DRAINAGE AND LEVEE DISTRICTS

#### H. F. 10

AN ACT to amend sections four hundred sixty-two point fifteen (462.15), four hundred sixty-two point nineteen (462.19), four hundred sixty-two point twenty-seven (462.27), four hundred sixty-two point thirty-one (462.31), four hundred sixty-two point thirty-two (462.32), four hundred sixty-two point thirty-three (462.33), and four hundred sixty-two point thirty-five (462.35), Code 1946, relating to management of drainage or levee districts by trustees and to provide compensation for trustees.

*Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1 SECTION 1. Section four hundred sixty-two point fifteen (462.15),  
2 Code 1946, is amended by striking all of said section and by substitut-  
3 ing in lieu thereof the following: "Each elector shall write or print

4 on a blank ballot, furnished by the election board, his choice for  
5 trustee for each election district for which a trustee is to be elected."

1 SEC. 2. Section four hundred sixty-two point nineteen (462.19),  
2 Code 1946, is amended by striking from lines one (1) and two (2)  
3 the words "except as provided in section four hundred sixty-two  
4 point twenty (462.20), the", and by substituting in lieu thereof the  
5 word "The".

1 SEC. 3. Section four hundred sixty-two point twenty-seven  
2 (462.27), Code 1946, is amended by striking from lines eight (8)  
3 and nine (9) the words "unless otherwise specially provided." and  
4 by substituting in lieu thereof the following: "including the power  
5 to acquire lands for right of way for ditches and settling basins  
6 within or without the district and to annex lands to the district,  
7 except as provided in section four hundred sixty-two point twenty-  
8 eight (462.28)."

1 SEC. 4. Section four hundred sixty-two point thirty-one (462.31),  
2 Code 1946, is hereby repealed.

1 SEC. 5. Section four hundred sixty-two point thirty-two (462.32),  
2 and section four hundred sixty-two point thirty-three (462.33), Code  
3 1946, is hereby repealed.

1 SEC. 6. Section four hundred sixty-two point thirty-five (462.35),  
2 Code 1946, is amended by striking the word "three" in line two (2)  
3 and by substituting in lieu thereof the word "seven".

Approved March 15, 1949.

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## CHAPTER 206

### MUTUAL DRAINS

H. F. 11

AN ACT to amend chapter four hundred sixty-five (465), Code 1946, relating to individual drainage rights and mutual drains, by amending section four hundred sixty-five point one (465.1), and by adding additional provisions to said chapter.

*Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1 SECTION 1. Section four hundred sixty-five point one (465.1),  
2 Code 1946, is amended by striking all of lines one (1) to twelve (12),  
3 inclusive, and by substituting in lieu thereof the following: "When  
4 the owner of any land desires to construct any levee, open ditch, tile  
5 or other underground drain, for agricultural or mining purposes, or  
6 for the purposes of securing more complete drainage or a better outlet  
7 across the lands of others or across the right of way of a railroad  
8 or highway, or when two or more landowners desire to construct a  
9 drain to serve their lands, he or they may file with the township clerk  
10 of the township".

1 SEC. 2. Chapter four hundred sixty-five (465), Code 1946, is  
2 amended by adding thereto the following: "When the records of any